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FAS FOR DOUGLAS AND NOVOTNY

DAMASCUS FOR AGATTACHE PITCHER

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: EPAP, ETRD, EG
SUBJECT: EGYPTIAN BAN ON RICE EXPORTS

REF: PITCHER LETTER TO WEBB DATED MAY 19

1. ON JUNE 13, EGYPTIAN MINISTER OF TRADE ZAKARIA
TAWFIK ABDUL FATTAH ISSUED DECREE PROHIBITING FURTHER
EXPORTS OF RICE FROM 1977 CROP. BAN APPLIES TO
QUANTITIES FOR WHICH CONTRACTS HAVE BEEN SIGNED BUT
RICE NOT YET EXPORTED. ONLY EXCEPTION TO BAN IS
500 METRIC TONS ALLOCATED TO WORLD FOOD PROGRAM.
JUSTIFICATION GIVEN FOR BAN IS TO INSURE AMPLE
SUPPLIES FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION.

2. FOR PITCHER. OTHER INFO REQUESTED REF (B)
BEING PREPARED AND WILL BE FORWARDED IN NEXT DAY
OR TWO. EILTS

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